

A first-time transfer student is identified by the four-year public or independent institution's student record file (type1). Only those students transferring from a KCTCS institution are selected for these reports.

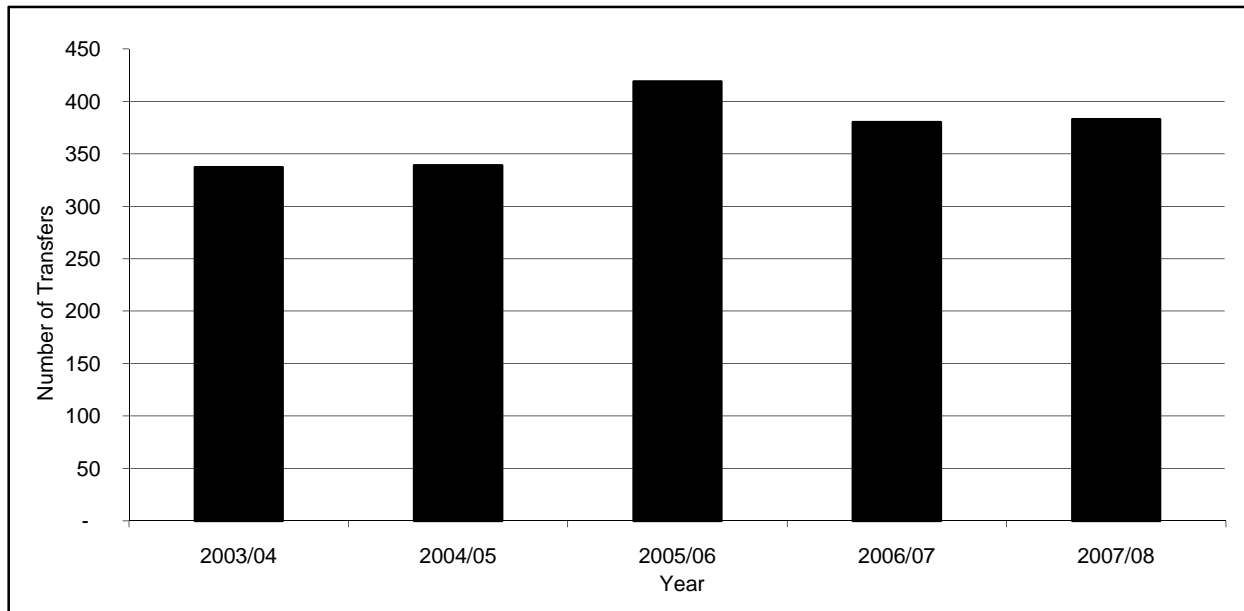
A. Basic Information about Transfer Students

	Transfer Year			
	2006/07		2007/08	
	This Institution	KCTCS	This Institution	KCTCS
1. Transfers from KCTCS to Four Year				
Four-Year Public	231	3,548	222	3,185
Independent (AIKCU Institutions)	149	938	161	1,093
Total	380	4,486	383	4,278
2. Transfers by Credit Hours				
Four-Year Public Only				
6 or fewer hours	14	367	8	115
7-14	8	141	5	109
15-29	31	380	22	306
30-44	33	462	32	416
45-59	27	560	31	471
60 or more	118	1,638	110	1,502
Total	231	3,548	208	2,919
Average Credit Hours	54.1	52.5	56.7	57.3
3. Number Who Transferred with an Associate Degree	90	812	76	747

4. First-Time Transfers by Year

	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
Somerset Community College	337	339	419	380	383

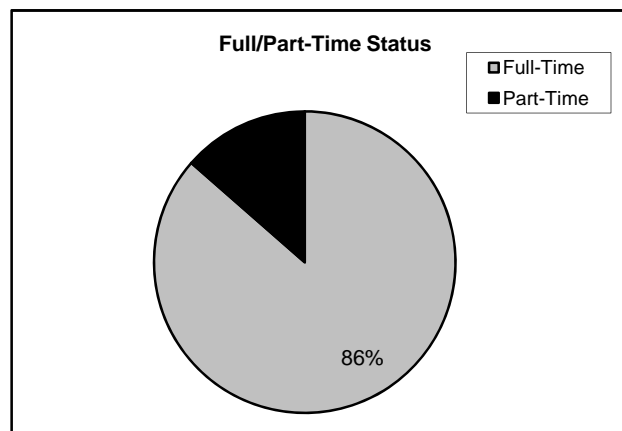
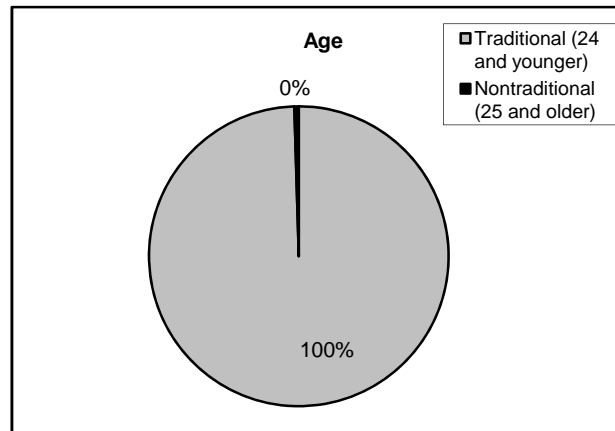
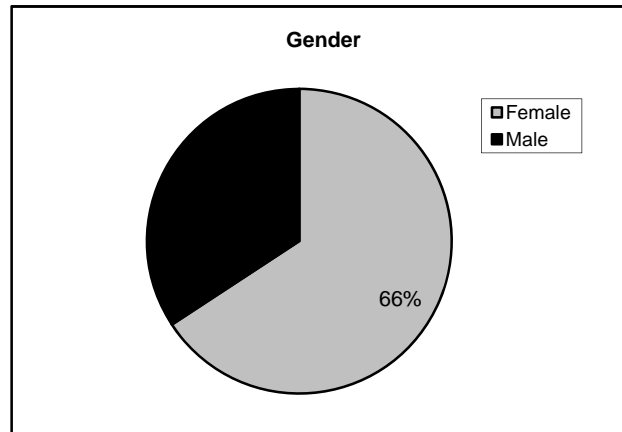
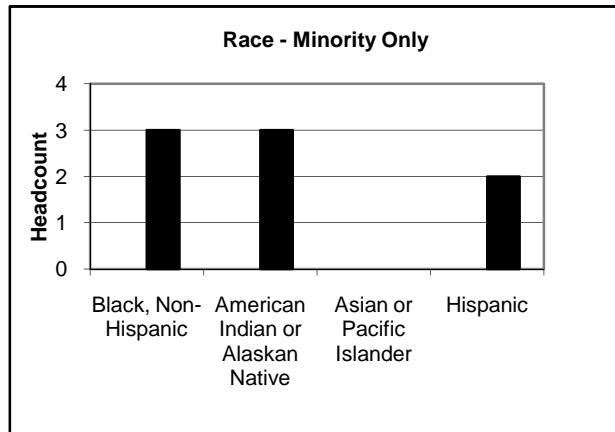
Graph of First-Time Transfers by Year



B. Demographics of Students Who Transfer

		2007/08			
		This Institution		KCTCS	
		Number	%	Number	%
1. Race	Nonresident Alien			14	0.3%
	Black, Non-Hispanic	3	0.8%	294	6.9%
	American Indian or Alaskan Native	3	0.8%	19	0.4%
	Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	41	1.0%
	Hispanic	2	0.5%	47	1.1%
	White, Non-Hispanic	354	92.4%	3,737	87.4%
	Unknown	21	5.5%	126	2.9%
	Total	383	100.0%	4,278	100.0%
2. Gender	Female	252	65.8%	2,620	61.2%
	Male	131	34.2%	1,658	38.8%
	Total	383	100.0%	4,278	100.0%
3. Age	Traditional (24 and younger)	215	99.5%	2,467	57.7%
	Nontraditional (25 and older)	1	0.5%	1,811	42.3%
	Total	216	100.0%	4,278	100.0%
4. Full/Part-Time at Four-Year Institution	Full-Time	331	86.4%	3,138	73.4%
	Part-Time	52	13.6%	1,140	26.6%
	Total	383	100.0%	4,278	100.0%

Graphs of Transfer Demographics



C. Student Success

The information in item 1 below refers to students who were first-time transfers in fall 2006 and returned for a second year at the same four year institution in fall 2007.

1. Retention One Year after Transfer

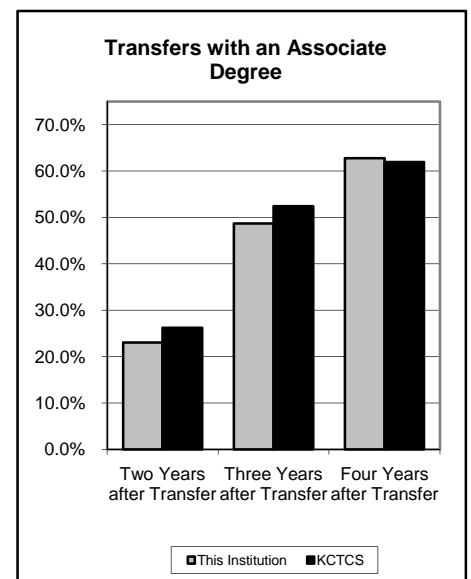
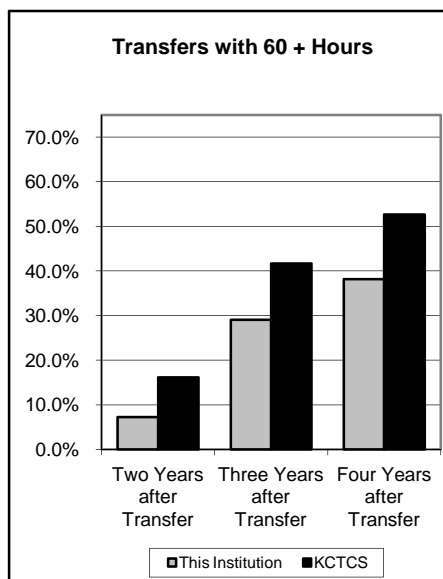
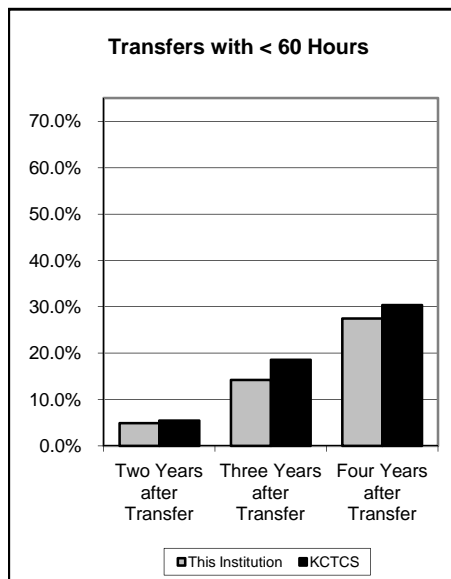
	This Institution			KCTCS		
	Number Retained	%	Average Grade of Retained Student ¹	Number Retained	%	Average Grade of Retained Student ¹
Four-Year Public	158	68.4%	2.95	2,590	73.0%	3.05
Independent (AIKCU Institutions)	116	77.9%	N/A	710	75.7%	N/A
Total	274	72.1%	N/A	3,300	73.6%	N/A

¹ Average grades for all courses taken with a grade of A,B,C,D, or F. This is not the same as the student's grade point average.

2. Graduation Rates

Fall 2003 Transfers by Transfer Hours or Associate Degree Conferred	Completed a Baccalaureate Degree within...						
	Two Years after Transfer		Three Years after Transfer		Four Years after Transfer		
	Cohort	Number	%	Number ²	% ²	Number ²	% ²
This Institution							
< 60 hours (no degree)	204	10	4.9%	29	14.2%	56	27.5%
60 or more hours (no degree)	55	4	7.3%	16	29.1%	21	38.2%
Associate Degree	78	18	23.1%	38	48.7%	49	62.8%
KCTCS							
< 60 hours (no degree)	2,319	126	5.4%	431	18.6%	704	30.4%
60 or more hours (no degree)	942	152	16.1%	393	41.7%	496	52.7%
Associate Degree	767	201	26.2%	402	52.4%	475	61.9%

² Cumulative degrees conferred are counted in these numbers and percentages.

Graphs of Graduation Rates

D. Kentucky Institutions To Which These Students Transferred

	2007/08	
	This Institution	KCTCS
Public Four-Year Universities:		
Eastern Kentucky University	156	718
Kentucky State University		30
Morehead State University	2	369
Murray State University	2	467
Northern Kentucky University	4	132
University of Kentucky	18	447
University of Louisville	5	533
Western Kentucky University	35	489
Independent Colleges and Universities (AIKCU)		
Alice Lloyd College	1	17
Asbury College	1	29
Bellarmino University		23
Berea College	2	4
Brescia University		31
Campbellsville University	12	42
Centre College		
Georgetown College		9
Kentucky Christian University		12
Kentucky Wesleyan College		41
Lindsey Wilson College	60	162
Mid-Continent University		197
Midway College	65	362
Pikeville College	1	45
Spalding University		48
St. Catharine College	2	32
Thomas More College		1
Transylvania University		1
Union College	14	27
University of the Cumberlands	3	10

E. Initial Major after Transfer

	2007/08	
	This Institution	KCTCS
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	10	76
Architecture and Related Services	1	4
Area, Ethnic, Cultural and Gender Studies		
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	16	150
Business, Mgt, Marketing, and Related Svcs	57	625
Communications Technologies/Technicians		4
Communications, Journalism, and Related Prog	2	103
Computer and Information Sciences	5	76
Construction Trades		
Education	76	739
Engineering	2	86
Engineering Technologies/Technicians	5	74
English Language and Literature/Letters	7	60
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Science	1	25
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics	2	17
Health Professions and Related Clinical Science	53	544
History	5	62
Legal Professions and Studies	2	8
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies	2	220
Library Science		
Mathematics and Statistics		32
Mechanics and Repair Technologies		
Military Technologies		
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	43	142
Natural Resources and Conservation	1	14
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies	1	36
Personal and Culinary Services		
Philosophy and Religious Studies		8
Physical Sciences	6	54
Precision Production		
Psychology	13	128
Public Administration and Social Service	5	134
Science Technologies/Technicians		
Security and Protective Services	28	147
Social Sciences	5	118
Theology and Religious Vocations	2	8
Transportation and Materials Moving		5
Visual and Performing Arts	5	83
Undecided/Undeclared	28	494